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Mr. Dean Nygard, Bureau Chief Idaho Department of Health & Welfare Division of Environmental Quality 1410 N. Hilton Boise, Idaho 83706

SUBJECT: Transmittal of the Draft Preliminary (30%) Design Report for the Staging, Storage,

Sizing, and Treatment Facility (EM-ER-209-00)

Dear Mr. Pierre and Mr. Nygard:

Enclosed is the Draft Preliminary (30%) Design Report for the Staging, Storage, Sizing, and Treatment Facility (SSSTF). This document contains: 1) the preliminary design report (PDR), 2) the preliminary design drawings, 3) the supporting engineering design files (EDFs), 4) the stabilization treatability study work plan, 5) preliminary specifications, 6) the revised Technical and Functional Requirement (T&FRs), and 7) the preliminary compliance matrix for the Applicable or Relevant and Appropriate Requirements (ARARs). This document is being submitted to meet the requirements of the Federal Facility Agreement and Consent Order (FFA/CO).

In order to expedite Draft Preliminary (30%) Design Report for SSSTF comment resolution and incorporation, review comments should be provided in an electronic format. By using an electronic copy transfer, an increase in the efficiency of comment resolution and subsequent incorporation is expected.

The FFA/CO review time for this Draft Preliminary (30%) Design Report for SSSTF, a secondary document, is 30 days, but if you have significant comments please let us know within 20 days. By notifying DOE-ID of any significant issues prior to the completion of the review period, these issues can be addressed and this will reduce the impact to the schedule. If you have any questions, please call Talley Jenkins at (208) 526-4978 or myself at (208) 526-4392.

Sincerely.

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## **Enclosure**

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## **RECORD NOTES:**

- 1. This letter was prepared to Draft Preliminary (30%) Design Report for the Staging, Storage, Sizing, and Treatment Facility (SSSTF) to the State and EPA.
- 2. This letter was prepared based on discussions between T. Jenkins and K. Hain (EM/ER).
- 3. This letter/memo closes OATS number N/A.
- 4. The attached correspondence has no relation to the Naval Nuclear Propulsion Program. Naval Reactors concurrence is not required.

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